



**STOP AQUATIC
HITCHHIKERS!**

Prevent the transport of nuisance species.
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Vermont Public Access Greeter Program

Will you be ready to help stop the spread of aquatic invasive species?

Public Access Greeter Trainings Offered

Please join Vermont Lakes Program staff at one of five *free* workshops offered to train Public Access Greeters. Public Access Greeters educate lake visitors about invasive species, provide courtesy watercraft inspections and **STOP** introductions.

Saturday, May 6, 2017 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Bois Residence, 23 Stearns Ave, Wilmington

** Hosted by the Lake Raponda Association*

Tuesday, May 9, 2017 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Agency of Natural Resources Storage Annex, 100 Junction Rd, Berlin

Wednesday, May 10, 2017 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Westmore Community Church, 27 Hinton Hill Rd, Westmore

** Hosted by the Westmore Association*

Saturday, May 13, 2017 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Castleton Community Center, 2108 Main St, Castleton

** Hosted by the Lake Bomoseen Association*

Saturday, June 9, 2017 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

***Joint training with the Vermont Invasive Patroller Program**

North Country Career Center, 209 Veterans Ave, Newport

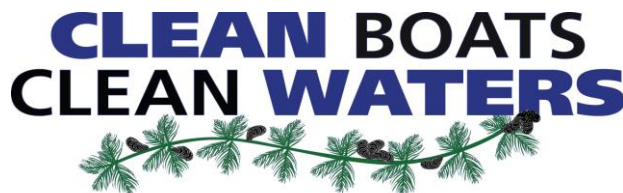


Workshop Topics

- Aquatic invasive species biology, threats to Vermont, the importance of spread prevention
- Hands-on aquatic invasive species identification
- Access area rules and regulations, baitfish regulations, invasive species laws
- Invasive species messaging; tips on interacting with the public
- Watercraft inspection and decontamination training

Free Greeter Program Tools

Greeter Program Training Manual, sandwich board "Greeter on Duty" signs, t-shirts, and educational handouts are free to any Vermont Greeter Program.



Pre-registration required.

Contact Josh Mulhollem at
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to reserve a spot or with questions.



Lake Champlain "Greeter" Lake Stewards
(Photo credit: LCBP)

